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WELLINGTON, SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1866.

G. GREY, Governor.

IN pursuance and exercise of the power and authority in me vested for this purpose, under and by virtue of "The Volunteer Act, 1865," I, Sir George Grey, the Governor of the Colony of New Zealand, do hereby nominate and appoint the undermentioned officers to be the persons, within their respective Provinces or Districts, to receive the arms, accountrements, and other articles supplied to any accoutrements, and other articles supplied to any officer, non-commissioned officer, or volunteer of any corps which has been disbanded in terms of the seventh section of the said Act :-

In the Province of Auckland. Major Michael Tighe. In the Province of Taranaki.

Lieutenant-Colonel Maxwell Lepper.

In the Militia District of Wanganui and Rangitikei. Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Gorton.

> In the Militia District of Wellington. Captain and Adjutant John S. Kirwan.

In the Militia Districts of Castle Point and Wairarapa.

Captain and Adjutant Hugh Cleland.

In the Province of Hawke's Bay.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Stoddart Whitmore. In the Province of Marlborough.

Captain and Adjutant the Honorable William Douglas Hall Baillie.

In the Province of Nelson.

Capain and Adjutant John W. Lockett.

In the Province of Canterbury.

Captain John Fuller, or the Adjutant of the Canterbury Volunteers.

In the Province of Otago. Major John Cargill.

In the Province of Southland.

Captain and Adjutant William James Balfour Junor.

Given under the hand of His Excellency Sir George Grey, Knight Commander of

the Most Honorable Order of the Bath, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over Her Majesty's Colony of New Zealand and its Dependencies, at the Government House, at Wellington, this eighth day of February, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six.

A. H. Russell, (For the Defence Minister.)

Colonial Defence Office Wellington, 23rd March, 1866.

THE undermentioned corps, enrolled previous to the passing of "The Volunteer Act, 1865," not having within sixty days of the date on which the said Act came into operation, again tendered their services to the Government, are, in accordance with the provisions of Section VII. of the said Act, now disbanded, and the gentlemen whose names are set opposite to the corps to which they respectively belonged, have ceased to hold the rank of officers in such corps, their commissions having under the same clause lapsed :

Onehunga Rifle Volunteers.

F. M. P. Brookfield, Esq., late Captain.

R. Farmer, Esq., late Captain. R. Kelly, Esq., late Lieutenant.

Onehunga Naval Volunteers.

T. Parnall, Esq., late Lieutenant.

D. Hutchinson, Esq., late Sub-Lieutenant.

Mauku Rifle Volunteers.

J. T. Mellsop, Esq., late Lieutenant.

Papakura Valley Rifle Volunteers.

G. Gardiner, Esq., late Captain.

Rangitikei Rangers Volunteers.

C. Campion, Esq., late Captain.

A. Winks, Esq., late Lieutenant.

G. Wheeler, Esq., late Ensign.

Turakina Rifle Volunteers.

J. H. Hurst, Esq., late Captain. H. A. Moore, Esq., late Lieutenant. R. Wilson, Esq., late Ensign.

Taranaki Rifle Volunteers.

Captain M. Jonas, Taranaki Militia, late Captain. Lieutenant William Black, Taranaki Militia, late

Captain. Lieutenant William Free, Taranaki Militia, late Lieutenant.

Ensign Matthew Carrick, Taranaki Militia, late Ensign.

Ensign J. R. Lawson, Taranaki Militia, late Ensign.

Wanganui Cavalry Volunteers.

John Cameron, Esq., late Captain. H. Harpur, Esq., late Lieutenant. E. Campbell, Esq., late Cornet.

Caledonian Rangers Volunteers. James Allison, Esq., late Captain. A. McGregor, Esq., late Lieutenant.

Victoria Rifle Volunteers. William Davidson, Esq., late Lieutenant.

Nelson Rifle Volunteers.

R. Malcolm, Esq., late Captain.J. Bird, Esq., late Captain.

J. Bird, Esq., late Captain.
W. C. Hodgson, Esq., late Captain.
H. E. Tuckey, Esq., late Captain.
William Everett, Esq., late Lieutenant.
F. Guerin, Esq., late Lieutenant.
T. Hunt, Esq., late Lieutenant.
A. Baigent, Esq., late Lieutenant.
F. Blundell, Esq., late Lieutenant.
D. Slater, Esq., late Ensign.
G. Harding, Esq., late Ensign.
J. Taylor, Esq., late Ensign.
G. Rutherford, Esq., late Ensign.
W. H. Dakers, Esq., late Surgeon.
S. A. Cusack, Esq., late Surgeon.

Invercargill Rifle Volunteers.

James Harvey, Esq., late Captain. W. P. Grigor, Esq., late Assistant-Surgeon.

West Taieri Rifle Volunteers. James Fulton, Esq., late Lieutenant.

T. M. HAULTAIN.

Colonial Secretary's Office. Wellington, 23rd March, 1866.

THE following Ordinance passed by the Provincial Council of the Province of Canterbury, intituled "The Volunteer Service Ordinance Amendment

Ordinance, 1866,

having been laid before the Governor, His Excellency has been pleased to leave the same to its operation.

E. W. STAFFORD.

Colonial Secretary's Office, (Judicial Branch,) Wellington, 24th February, 1866.

HIS Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint

WILLIAM ROBERT EDWARD BROWN,

of Wellington, in the Province of Wellington, Esquire, to be an Inspector in Bankruptcy, under "The Debtors and Creditors Act Amendment Act, 1865," in and for the said Province of Wellington.

E. W. STAFFORD.

General Crown Lands Office,

Wellington, 20th March, 1866.

IN conformity with the 29th clause of "The Gold Fields Acts Amendment Act, 1865," it is hereby notified that it is intended to grant Leases for Gold Mining Purposes of the Crown Lands to the applicants specified in the following Schedule.

> ALFRED DOMETT, Secretary for Crown Lands.

Applicants—D. G. McDonnell and George Wilson. Locality—Big Beach, Shotover River. Area—10 acres.

> Registrar-General's Office, Auckland, 14th March, 1866.

PURSUANT to the provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of New Zealand, passed in the eighteenth year of the reign of Her Majesty Queen Victoria, and intituled "The Marriage Act, 1854," the following names of Officiating Ministers within the meaning of the said Act are published for general information: published for general information:

United Church of England and Ireland.

The Reverend J. A. Welsh Collins.

Roman Catholic Church.

The Reverend PATRICK O'REILLY.
"THOMAS WALSH.

I, JOHN B. BENNETT, Registrar-General of Births, Deaths and Marriages in New Zealand, do hereby certify that the foregoing NAMES of OFFICIATING MINISTERS within the meaning of "The Marriage Act, 1854," have been sent in to me, in addition to the names in Lists published in the New Zealand Gazette, No. 9, of the 30th of January, and No. 13, of the 3rd March, in the present year.

Given under my hand, at Auckland, this fourteenth day of March, 1866.

JOHN B. BENNETT,

Registrar-General.

In the Supreme Court of New Zealand: Middle District.

In the matter of "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862;" and of "The Debtors and Creditors Act Amendment Act, 1865;" and in the matter of the petition of Benjamin Aaron Selig, of the City of Wellington, in the Province of Wellington, and Colony of New Zealand, jeweller.

NOTICE is hereby given that the said Benjamin Aaron Selig did, on the fifth day of March instant, present his petition praying for sequestra-tion of his estate for the benefit of all his creditors, and for relief according to the provisions of the said Act; and that the said petition has been accepted by His Honor Mr. Justice Johnston, who has appointed the third day of May next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for a meeting of the creditors of the said petitioner, to be held at the Grand Jury Room, Wellington; and also appointed Tuesday, the eighth day of May next, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Supreme Court at Wellington aforesaid, for the hearing of the said petitioner, at which time and place all parties concerned are to attend.

Dated this sixteenth day of March, 1866.

BRANDON AND MOORE, Solicitors for the said Petitioner. In the Supreme Court of New Zealand: Middle District.

In the matter of "The Debtors and Creditors Act, 1862;" and of "The Debtors and Creditors Act, Amendment Act, 1865;" and in the matter of the petition of Charles Edward Luxford, of the City of Wellington, in the Province of Wellington, butcher, one of the firm of Charles Edward Luxford and Company, butchers.

NOTICE is hereby given that the said Charles Edward Luxford did, on the nineteenth day of March instant, present his petition praying for the sequestration of his estate for the benefit of all his creditors, and for relief according to the provisions of the said Act; and that the said petition has been accepted by His Honor Mr. Justice Johnston, who has appointed the twenty-sixth of March instant, at the hour of eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for a meeting of creditors of the said petitioner, to be held at the Grand Jury Room, Wellington; and also appointed Tuesday, the eighth day of May next, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, in the Supreme Court House at Wellington aforesaid, for the hearing of the said petitioner, at which time and place all parties concerned are to attend.

Dated this nineteenth day of March, 1866. BRANDON AND MOORE, Solicitors for the said Petitioner.

In the Supreme Court of Tasmania.

NOTICE is hereby given that by commission dated the twenty-third day of October, 1865, under the hand of His Honor Sir Valentine Fleming, Knight, Chief Justice of the said Court, and under Knight, Chief Justice of the said Court, and under the seal of the same Court, I, the undersigned Walter Scott Reid, of Invercargill, in the Province of Southland and Colony of New Zealand, solicitor, have been appointed a Commissioner for taking oaths, affirmations, or affidavits, in any cause, matter or thing depending or hereafter to be depending or concerning the said Supreme Court of depending or concerning the said Supreme Court of

Dated this twenty-eighth day of February, 1866. WALTER S. REID.

NOTICE is hereby given, that by deed bearing date the ninth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and made between Henry Wright, of the Taitai, in the Province of Wellington and Colony of New Zealand, storekeeper, of the one part, and Edward Owen and William John Gandy, of Wellington aforesaid, trustees, of the other part, the said Henry Wright did convey, assign, and assure all and singular the lands, tenements, and hereditaments of him the said Henry Wright, of whatsoever nature or tenure, unto the said Edward Owen and William John Gandy, their heirs and assigns, upon trust, to sell the same as therein mentioned, and to stand possessed of the proceeds to arise from such sale or sales upon the trusts in the deed next hereinafter mentioned, declared of and concerning the same. And notice is hereby further given, that by deed bearing even date with the last-mentioned deed, and made between the said Henry Wright, therein described, of the first part, Edward Owen and William John Gandy, therein further described as two of the creditors of the said Henry Wright, of the second part; and the several other persons whose hands and seals are hereunto set and affixed, being respectively creditors of the said Henry Wright, of the third part; the said Henry Wright did assign and transfer all and singular the personal estate and effects of him unto the said Edward Owen and William John Gandy, their executors, administrators, and assigns,

upon trust for sale as therein mentioned; and upon further trust to hold the proceeds, as well of the sale of the said personal estate and effects, as also of the lands, tenements, and hereditaments hereinbefore mentioned, upon trust as therein mentioned, for the benefit of all the creditors of the said Henry Wright, and that the said deeds were duly executed on the day of the dates thereof, by the said Henry Wright, Edward Owen, and William John Gandy, in the presence of the undersigned Patrick Alphonsus Buckley, a Solicitor of the Supreme Court of New Zealand, and is now filed in the Supreme Court of New Zealand, at Wellington, and signed by more than three-fourths in value of the Creditors of the said Henry Wright.

Dated this twentieth day of March, 1866. P. A. BUCKLEY, Solicitor for the Trustees.

the undersigned RICHARD CREETH, hereby make application to register "Riche's Gold Claim Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name of the Company is "Riche's Gold Claim Company, Registered."

2. The place of operation is at Blue Spur, Tuapeka.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is three thousand pounds, in three hundred shares of ten

pounds each.

4. The amount already paid up is three thousand

5. The name of the manager is Richard Creeth.

6. The office of the Company is at Temple Chambers, Dunedin.

7. The names and several residences of the shareholders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows :-

Name.	Residence.		No. of Shares.
Charles James Hoyt	Dunedin		. 110
Alex. Jerusalem Smyth .	\mathbf{Ditto}		. 10
Henry Hoyt	Ditto		. 10
George Washington Hoyt	${f Ditto}$. 10
Frank Porter Mansfield .	${f Ditto}$. 10
George Cornwell	Ditto		
George Murray	\mathbf{D} itto		. 140
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Dated this twenty-seventh day of December, 1865 RICHARD CREETH, Manager.

Witness to Signature—George Turnbull, J.P.

the undersigned RICHARD CREETH, hereby make application to register "The Shag River Water Race Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name of the Company is "The Shag River Water Race Company, Registered."

2. The place of operations is at and near Fullarton's Diggings.

3. The nominal capital of the Company is nine thousand nine hundred pounds, in three hundred and thirty shares of thirty pounds each.

4. The amount already paid up is four thousand four hundred and twenty pounds.
5. The name of the manager is Richard Creeth.

6. The office of the Company is at Temple Chambers, Prince's Street, Dunedin.

7. The name and several residences of the shareholders and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:-

Name.	Residence.		No. of Shares.
James Hamilton	Hamilton .		. 16
William Fuller	70		
Edward Barter	Hamilton .		
George Murray			
Edward McGlashan	Ditto .		
William Gregg	Ditto .		. 2
Henry John Abel	Ditto .	_	$\overline{1}$
Charles Henry Creeth	Ditto .		. 2
Campbell Thompson	West Taieri		. 2
Andrew R. B. Thompson .	Canterbury		
Alex. Innis Grant	Dunedin .		
Arthur Parker	Ditto .		
Alexander Bathgate	Ditto .		
Frederick Henry Irwin.	Ditto .		. 5
John Laverty	Hamilton .		
George D. Smith Edmund Brodie	Ditto .		
Edmund Brodie	Ditto .		. 16
John Shannan	Ditto .		. 16
William Thomas	Ditto .		. 16
William Greentank	${f Ditto}$.		
William Greentank	${f Ditto}$.		. 2
William Edmonds	Ditto		. 16
John McGregor	Ditto .		. 16
William Bardsley	Ditto .		. 16
John Cox	Ditto .		. 16
Rudolph Dierk	Ditto .		. 16
Thomas Dwyer			
Dated this eighth day of J	anuary 1866.		330

Dated this eighth day of January, 1866.
RICHARD CREETH, Manager.
Witness to Signature—VINCENT PYKE, J.P.

the undersigned Andrew Wood, hereby make application to register "The Ida Valley Water Race Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies' Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—

1. The name and style of the Company is "The Ida Valley Water Race Company, Registered."

2. The place of operations is at Manorburn and Blacks, Manuherikia.

3. The nominal capital of the Company is eight thousand pounds, in three hundred and twenty shares of twenty-five pounds each.

4. The amount already paid up is nine hundred and thirty pounds.

5. The name of the manager is Andrew Wood.
6. The registered office of the Company is at Idaburn Station, and the agency office is at Dunedin.

7. The names and several residences of the share-holders, and the number of shares held by each at this date, are as follows:—

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Name.			Residence.	No. Shar	
William Thompson		•	Manorburn, Pro-	•	
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George Field .			Ditto, do		1
George McKidd			Ditto, do		1
John Beattie .			Ida Valley, do.		1
Thomas Wilson			Ditto do		1
John McNamara			Ditto, do		1
Josh. Edwards			Manorburn, do.		1
Alexander Gunn			Ditto, do		1
Andrew Wood			Ida Valley, do.		1
James McAdie			Ditto, do		1
James Thompson			Ditto, do		1
Charles J. Naden			Queenstown, do.		1
A. Aitchison .			Dunedin, do.		1
Godfrey Becker			Manorburn, do.		1
Peter Mulvey .			Manuherikia, do.		1
Nugent Wade .			Otepopo, do.		2
William G. McPhers	on		Idaburn station,	do.	1
John Alves .			Dunedin, do.		1

1	James Miller		Block No. 3, do	1
	J. A. Campbell		Dunstan Creek, do.	1
I	Robert Kenny		Dunstan, do	7
ļ	William Daw Inverarity	Ť	Dunedin, do.	$\tilde{1}$
	Charles F. Black	•	Waikouaiti, do.	1.
Ì	Fairfax Fenwick	•	Otepopo, do.	4
	A. Dasant	•	Waikouaiti, do	
į		٠	waikouaiti, do	2
	Gavin Anderson .		Dunedin, do	2
	Martin Sholl		Ditto, do	2
	William Wilfred Wilson		Ditto, do	$ar{2}$
	Vincent Augustus Pyke	Ī	Ditto, do	ĩ
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i	A	NDI	REW WOOD, Manager	

Witness to signature— JOHN S. HICKSON, J.P.

the undersigned RICHARD CREETH, hereby make application to register "The Polkinghorns Gold Claim Company, Registered," under the provisions of "The Mining Companies Limited Liability Act, 1865," and I do solemnly and sincerely declare that the following statement is, to the best of my belief

and knowledge, true in every particular, namely:—
1. The name and style of the Company is "Polkinghorns Gold Claim Company, Registered."

2. The place of operations is at Blue Spur, Tuapeka.
3. The nominal capital of the Company is three thousand five hundred pounds, in three hundred and fifty shares of ten pounds each

fifty shares of ten pounds each.

4. The amount already paid up is two thousand one hundred and sixty pounds.

5. The name of the manager is Richard Creeth.
6. The office of the Company is at Temple Chambers, Dunedin.

7. The names and several residences of the share-holders and the number of shares held by each at this date are as follows:

	Name.	Residence			No. of Shares.
	George Murray	Dunedin			100
	Charles James Hoyt	Ditto			100
	Edward M'Glashan	Ditto			25
i	Thomas Birch	Ditto			10
	Charles James Hoyt	Ditto			5
	Alexander Jerusalem Smyth	\mathbf{Ditto}			5
١	Frank Porter Mansfield .	${f Ditto}$			10
ı	George Cornwell	Ditto			10
	George Murray	Ditto			20
i	John Bathgate	Ditto			5
	Richard Creeth	Ditto			5
ı	Thomas Francis Kenelly .	Ditto			5
	Richard Creeth, in trust				
	for the Company	Ditto			50
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Dated this first day of March, 1866.

RICHARD CREETH, Manager.

Witness to Signature—VINCENT PYKE, J.P.

TRUST for Religious and Educational Purposes within the Province of Otago.—Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly at the ensuing session thereof, for leave to bring in a Bill to better define the trusts under which certain lands within the Province of Otago, specified in the Schedule hereunder written, are now held and administered by trustees for religious and educational purposes in connection with the Presbyterian Church of Otago, and to make further and better provision for the administration and management thereof:

And notice is hereby given that copies of the said Bill will be deposited in the Private Bill Office within fourteen days after the commencement of the said session.

Dated this fourteenth day of March, 1866.

HARBIS, MACASSEY, and TURTON,
Solicitors for the Bill.

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                                                                                           Solicitors for the Bill.
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ROBERT CHAPMAN, Esq., Official Administrator of Intestate Estates at Otago, in Account with the Estate of Edward Hince, of Dunstan, Miner, deceased, intestate.

1864. Oct. 10.	By Cash from	Dr. Commissioner of	£	8.	d.	1865. April 22.	Cr. Paid Court fees of administra-	£	8.	d.
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ROBERT CHAPMAN, Esq., Official Administrator of Intestate Estates at Otago, in Account with the Estate of William Tenby, of Tuapeka, deceased, intestate.

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(for Secretary and Inspector of Customs.) WILLIAM FRANCE,

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